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PRESIDENT: Care to respond?

SENATOR DE CAMP: I just explained. If it goes to the Governor's office, of course, the issue becomes somewhat mute. Under the rules, I have three days to make the.... or three days to have the motion taken up. I'll make the motion immediately and take it up just as quickly as we can but if the bill is hauled down to the Governor's office, that destroys the purpose of the motion. That's all.

PRESIDENT: Senator Marsh, are you objecting?

SENATOR MARSH: Yes.

PRESIDENT: All right, then, you'll have to move Senator DeCamp.

SENATOR DE CAMP: Well, then I...I would....I'm making first of all the motion to reconsider our action and then that has no vote on that.

PRESIDENT: That's correct.

SENATOR DE CAMP: I'm asking in conjunction with that then unanimous consent which has been rejected so I would now move that the bill be delayed until the motion can be taken up. Otherwise, we're destroying our own rules unless we use such a principle.

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Duis.

SENATOR DUIS: Mr. President, I would have to ask as far as the rules are concerned, I know that his motion could be in order to reconsider but which side of the question was he on at the time?

PRESIDENT: The Chair doesn't know that yet. We're going to assume....Senator DeCamp, do you care to respond? Which side of the issue were you on?

SENATOR DE CAMP: Mr. President, I was not here. I would have voted against it. I would have spoke against it.

PRESIDENT: Okay, thank you. That's all the information we need to know. We need to know whether you're on the prevailing side or not voting. Thank you, then his motion is in order.....Senator Frank Lewis, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR F. LEWIS: Is that motion debatable?

PRESIDENT: Nope. Stand by just a minute. All right, now, Senator Kelly for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR KELLY: Mr. President, I would support Senator DeCamp's parliamentary moves. Obviously I'm dead set against doing anything to LB972 but I certainly believe everybody should have their day in court so that we can soundly defeat him and he'll know where he stands.

PRESIDENT: All right. Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President, I was finishing off a piece of candy. Excuse me. It sweetens my disposition. I'm opposed to delaying this bill at all. There was a very lively heated and perhaps as thorough a debate of the bill as could